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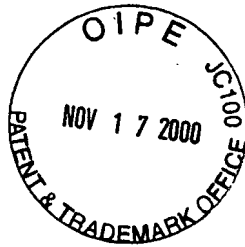
In re application of

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For: CURRENT COLLECTION THROUGH THE ENDS OF A
SPIRALLY WOUND ELECTROCHEMICAL CELL



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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.136

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136, Applicants hereby petition for an extension of time of one month, extending the time for responding to the Office Action of July 18, 2000 to November 18, 2000.

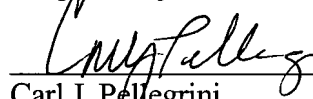
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